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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

This amendment for the patent application identified above is in response to the Office Action dated September 4, 2009, which set a shortened statutory period for response that expires on December 4, 2009. Kindly amend this application as indicated herein:

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.